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HOW TO APPLY IN THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE INSTITUTE (ELI):

1. Visit us at ppp.utep.edu
2. Scroll down and click on ENGLISH LANGUAGE INSTITUTE
3. Complete and submit your application form and supporting documents by the application deadline as listed in the Calendar and Fees document.
4. Registration fees must be paid before application can be processed.

After your application is processed, you will receive an email from ELI within 5 to 14 days on the status of your application.

Admission to the ELI is not the same as admission to the University of Texas at El Paso. If you wish to obtain admission to the University, you must apply there directly.

The English Language Institute (ELI) offers an excellent, English as a second language program for students from all over the world. ELI is specifically designed to help learners gain functional command of English in listening, speaking, reading, and writing. We provide a quality, intensive program for non-native speakers that meets the learning needs of our diverse student population. Our teachers and staff are ready to make your experience a remarkable one.

The English Language Institute’s courses are divided in the following categories. Through our optimal organization structure our students experience education in an environment that is “alive” with engagement and active learning.
Refund Policies:

a) Refunds for ELI Core Program: A participant who chooses to drop a course three days or more prior to the first class meeting can be issued a full refund of the registration, less a $75 processing fee.

b) Refunds for ELI Elective Courses: A participant who chooses to drop a course three days or more prior to the first class meeting can be issued a full refund, less a $15 processing fee.

c) Credit Vouchers for ELI Core or Elective Program: A participant who chooses to withdraw within one to two business days prior to the first class meeting will be issued a credit voucher, less a $15 processing fee.

P3 English Language Institute: Intensive English Program

“I’m lucky and grateful to have been one of ELI’s students. It has been a short journey, but one filled with effective learning, happiness, and great experiences. I have learned a lot from all of the great teachers in the institute and my fellow multicultural students. I will always be thankful and proud of this experience. Thank you to all at ELI, with a special thanks to Mr. Sam.”

–Hawra Mohammed, former ELI student.

NOW HIRING!

Professional and Public Programs is always looking for qualified and enthusiastic educators who can teach English as a Second Language courses. For those interested, please send your resume to our ELI Program Manager via e-mail at gparthiban@utep.edu.
ELI CORE PROGRAM

ELI: Intensive English Program
Spring I 2017

This program is designed to help learners gain a functional command of English in grammar, listening, speaking, reading and writing. It caters to the beginning English speaker as well as advanced students seeking to enter a higher educational program. New students will be placed in appropriate levels according to their performance on a placement exam.

The Intensive English Program offers the following:

- Individualized attention
- Highly skilled instructors
- Exam preparation for the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL)

Course:  17PELI1000
Fee:   $980  Meetings:  31
Day/Time:  1/17 – 3/9
         M, Tu, W, and Th 8 a.m. to 1:20 p.m.

NOTE: Prospective students must register in order to take the placement test by submitting all necessary documents. International applicants who require an I-20 Form must submit all the required documents to the ELI by the submission deadline found in the calendar and fees at Professional & Public Programs website at ppp.utep.edu. Placement test will be administered on Wednesday, January 11 at 9 a.m. in Miners Hall. Program orientation will take place on Thursday, January 12 at 9 a.m. in Miners Hall (unless otherwise noted).

ELI: Intensive English Program
Spring II 2017

This program is designed to help learners gain a functional command of English in grammar, listening, speaking, reading and writing. It caters to the beginning English speaker as well as advanced students seeking to enter a higher educational program. New students will be placed in appropriate levels according to their performance on a placement exam. Spring II curriculum continues from Spring I.

The Intensive English Program offers the following:

- Individualized attention
- Highly skilled instructors
- Exam preparation for the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL)

Course:  17PELI1002
Fee:   $980  Meetings:  32
Day/Time:  3/20 – 5/11
         M, Tu, W, and Th 8 a.m. to 1:20 p.m.

NOTE: Prospective students must register in order to take the placement test by submitting all necessary documents. International applicants who require an I-20 Form must submit all the required documents to the ELI by the submission deadline found in the calendar and fees at Professional & Public Programs website at ppp.utep.edu. Placement test will be administered on Wednesday, March 8 at 9 a.m. in Miners Hall. Program orientation will take place Thursday, March 9 at 9 a.m. in Miners Hall (unless otherwise noted).
CONVERSATION
ELI - Intensive English Conversation:
Would you like to speak English with confidence? This course will improve your conversational English skills, including pronunciation and listening. Emphasis is placed on developing confidence in your ability to speak English. The course focuses on vocabulary, student presentations, and discussions upon current affairs.

Course: 17PELI2000 (Level I)
Fee: $119
Day/Time: 1/17 – 2/1
M, Tu, W, and Th 1:30 to 2:45 p.m.

Course: 17PELI2001 (Level II)
Fee: $119
Day/Time: 2/6 – 2/21
M, Tu, W, and Th 1:30 to 2:45 p.m.

Course: 17PELI2002 (Level III)
Fee: $119
Day/Time: 2/27 – 3/21
M, Tu, W, and Th 1:30 to 2:45 p.m.
No class on 3/13, 3/14, 3/15, 3/16 and 3/17

Course: 17PELI2003 (Level IV)
Fee: $119
Day/Time: 3/27 – 4/11
M, Tu, W, and Th 1:30 to 2:45 p.m.

Course: 17PELI2004 (Level V)
Fee: $119
Day/Time: 4/17 – 5/2
M, Tu, W, and Th 1:30 to 2:45 p.m.

TOEFL iBT Preparation Course
(Internet-based Test) Afternoon Class
This course is designed to prepare students for the internet-based test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL iBT). Successful completion of the TOEFL iBT is required for admittance into American undergraduate and/or graduate programs. This course will cover all knowledge and skills evaluated by the TOEFL iBT: listening and reading comprehension, proper sentence structure, and vocabulary. Test-taking strategies will also be addressed to help students make the most of their time when taking the test.

Course: 17PELI3603
Fee: $300 (textbook included)
Meetings: 15
Day/Time: 3/21 – 5/9
Tu and Th 6 to 8 p.m.

EVENING
TOEFL iBT Preparation Course
Internet-based Test (iBT) Spring I 2017
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Course: 17PELI3601
Fee: $300 (textbook included)
Meetings: 15
Day/Time: 1/17 – 3/7
Tu and Th 6 to 8 p.m.

TOEFL iBT Preparation Course
Internet-based Test (iBT) Spring II 2017
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Course: 17PELI3603
Fee: $300 (textbook included)
Meetings: 15
Day/Time: 3/21 – 5/9
Tu and Th 6 to 8 p.m.

ELI: Intensive English Program
Spring I 2017 – Basic
This intensive 27 session program is designed to help beginning English speakers gain a basic command of English in listening, speaking, reading and writing. In this highly interactive course, students will focus on grammar, reading and writing comprehension, as well as practice pronunciation for daily conversation.

Course: 17PELI1003
Fee: $250
Meetings: 27
Day/Time: 1/17 – 3/2
M, Tu, W, and Th 6 to 8 p.m.

ELI: Intensive English Program
Spring II 2017 - Intermediate
This intensive 28 session program is designed to build upon the Basic Intensive Program, as well as help intermediate English speakers gain a basic command of English in listening, speaking, reading and writing. In this highly interactive course, students will focus on grammar, reading and writing comprehension, as well as practice pronunciation for daily conversation.

Course: 17PELI1003
Fee: $119
Meetings: 10
Day/Time: 1/17 – 2/16
Tu and Th 1:30 to 2:45 p.m.
Pronunciation of American English: Level II
In this intermediate course, students will continue to strengthen their listening, speaking and pronunciation skills. The course emphasizes phonological rules, in particular, phonetic environments, stress, rhythm and inflection. Students will practice this through recreations of situations, such as ordering food in a restaurant, speaking to coworkers in a business setting, and much more.

Course: 17PELI2811
Fee: $129  Meetings: 10
Day/Time: 2/21 – 3/30
Tu and Th 6 to 8 p.m.

Pronunciation of American English: Level III
In this advanced course, students will test their listening, speaking and pronunciation skills. The course places an emphasis on communication skills, as well as improving rhythm and inflection techniques.

Course: 17PELI2812
Fee: $129  Meetings: 10
Day/Time: 4/4 – 5/4
Tu and Th 6 to 8 p.m.

English Conversation: Level I
Linguists have found that people learn a second language more easily in a relaxed atmosphere. This course will put you at ease as you enhance your understanding of the English language. Learn how to make small talk, begin and end a conversation, and use gestures and expressions to enhance conversation. Students will practice this through recreations of situations, such as ordering food in a restaurant, speaking to coworkers in a business setting, and much more.

Course: 17PELI2801
Fee: $119  Meetings: 10
Day/Time: 1/18 – 2/20
M and W 6 to 7:30 p.m.

English Conversation: Level II
For those who want to continue sharpening their conversational skills, this intermediate-to-advanced level course in English as a Second Language expands on the activities begun in English Conversation: Level I. This level II session offers continued development of speaking and listening skills for effective communication in English by emphasizing the use of common idioms, dialogue practices, and presentations to encourage conversation.

Course: 17PELI2802
Fee: $119  Meetings: 10
Schedule: 2/22 – 4/3
Day/Time: M and W 6 to 7:30 p.m.
No class on 3/13 and 3/15

English Conversation: Level III
This is an advanced course designed to help students continue sharpening their conversational skills from the previous English Conversation: Level II course. This level III course utilizes role-play, dialogues, and debate tactics to help students further build upon their confidence in communicating the English Language.

Course: 17PELI2803
Fee: $119  Meetings: 10
Day/Time: 4/5 – 5/8
M and W 6 to 7:30 p.m.

English Exchange
This class is designed to help participants enhance their understanding and conversational knowledge of the English language. Additionally, an effort will be made to address the fears and anxieties that come with learning a new language.

Course: 17PELI2901
Fee: $129  Meetings: 10
Day/Time: 1/20 – 4/7
F 6 to 8 p.m.
No class on 3/17 and 3/31

Writing to Communicate
This course explores English conversational skills through personal and professional writing correspondence. Genres such as journal entries, freewriting, and brainstorming will be discussed and utilized to help build on writing and conversational skills. Through a utilization of “writing to learn” genres, students will learn how to make connections between known knowledge and new knowledge,
as well as process information.

**Course:** 17PELI119  
Fee: $129  
Meetings: 10  
Day/Time:  
Tu 6 to 7:30 p.m.  
Sa 9 to 10:20 a.m.

**WEEKEND**

**Grammar course – Elements of Sentences**

This course provides students with an overview of basic English sentence structures, such as word order, simple and progressive verb tenses, and much more. Additionally, students will begin to recognize certain English sentence patterns when observing other’s communication and prose.

**Course:** 17PELI1005  
Fee: $200  
Meetings: 15  
Day/Time:  
Sa 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.  
*No class on 3/18 and 4/1*

**ELI – Academic Listening and Note Taking**

Through this course, students will develop a system for note-taking and learn how to use their notes to answer comprehensive questions seen in writing assignments. A variety of reading and writing exercises will be used to help students build upon these important educational skills.

**Course:** 17PELI1006  
Fee: $200  
Meetings: 15  
Day/Time:  
Sa 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.  
*No class on 3/18 and 4/1*

**ELI - Intensive English Program**

This intensive 15 session program is designed to help beginning English speakers gain a basic command of English in listening, speaking, reading and writing. In this highly interactive course, students will focus on grammar, reading and writing comprehension, as well as practice pronunciation for daily conversation.

**Course:** 17PELI4004  
Fee: $200  
Meetings: 15  
Day/Time:  
Sa 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.  
*No class on 3/18 and 4/1*

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**Course:** 17PELI4005  
Fee: $200  
Meetings: 15  
Day/Time:  
Sa 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.  
*No class on 3/18 and 4/1*

**TOEFL Preparation (Internet-based Test)**

This course is designed to prepare students for the internet-based test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL iBT). Successful completion of the TOEFL iBT is required for admission into American undergraduate and/or graduate programs. This course will cover all knowledge and skills evaluated by the TOEFL iBT: listening and reading comprehension, proper sentence structure, and vocabulary. Test-taking strategies will also be addressed to help students make the most of their time when taking the test.

**Course:** 17PELI3004  
Fee: $300 (textbook included)  
Meetings: 15  
Day/Time:  
Sa 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.  
*No class on 3/18 and 4/1*

**ELI – Learn English through Music and Song**

Explore American culture and the English language through a discussion of song writers from the 20th and 21st centuries. Students will identity themes, motifs, literary elements, and the implicit meaning within lyrics. Additionally, students are welcome to bring their instruments to class in an effort to further enhance their understanding of the course material.

**Course:** 17PELI6002  
Fee: $200  
Meetings: 10  
Day/Time:  
Sa 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.  
*No class on 3/18 and 4/1*

**ELI – Business English Conversation**

Enhance and enrich your understanding of the English language. This course emphasizes grammatical accuracy, as well as vernacular choices, genre-specific vocabulary, pronunciation drills and intonation practice to help students communicate efficiently in a business environment.

**Course:** 17PELI9004  
Fee: $200  
Meetings: 10  
Day/Time:  
Sa 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.  
*No class on 3/18 and 4/1*

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P3 English Language Institute Instructor: **Harriet Henry**

“Harriet Henry was my greatest teacher. Before taking this course, I had no regard for individual responsibility; however, after Harriet emphasized the following words, “you are responsible,” I changed my outlook on life. I now feel that I have become responsible, especially with my classes. I can’t say thank you enough times and will never forget you, Harriet.”

– A. Abdulrahman  
Former ELI student